

**To:** Gross, Bonnie[Gross.bonnie@epa.gov]  
**From:** Melvin, Karen  
**Sent:** Fri 3/7/2014 8:35:01 PM  
**Subject:** FW: Seeking Speaker About Spill of Methylcyclohexane Methanol (MCHM) in WV

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**From:** Werner, Lora  
**Sent:** Friday, March 07, 2014 3:27 PM  
**To:** Melvin, Karen  
**Subject:** Re: Seeking Speaker About Spill of Methylcyclohexane Methanol (MCHM) in WV

Yes! Sorry I haven't responded to him yet but will try later today. I got the ok from HQ to do this w/Dawn, so we are good!

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**From:** Melvin, Karen  
**Sent:** Friday, March 7, 2014 3:13:08 PM  
**To:** Werner, Lora  
**Subject:** FW: Seeking Speaker About Spill of Methylcyclohexane Methanol (MCHM) in WV

Lora, I haven't been able to connect with this guy – to try to clarify what he would want. Dawn feels that she hasn't been as engaged as you and yours and thought this could be at the very least, a joint discussion with EPA and ATSDR....what do you think?

**From:** Kapuscinski, Rich  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 06, 2014 1:57 PM  
**To:** Melvin, Karen  
**Cc:** Watson, Linda (R3); Ioven, Dawn; Frederick, Tim; OBrien, Wendy  
**Subject:** Seeking Speaker About Spill of Methylcyclohexane Methanol (MCHM) in WV  
**Importance:** High

I am interested in identifying a speaker to discuss the scientific (e.g., toxicity and risk assessment) aspects of EPA and ATSDR's response to the subject spill during an upcoming call of the OSWER Human Health Regional Risk Assessors Forum (OHHRRAF). I am starting my inquiry with you because you were identified to me in January as an EPA contact for all inquiries, when the spill response was underway. **Might you be able to identify an appropriate**

**person for me to contact and solicit as a speaker?** Our next call is scheduled for March 20.

Thanks for your time and consideration.

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**From:** Watson, Linda (R3)

**Sent:** Thursday, January 16, 2014 1:04 PM

**To:** Kapuscinski, Rich; Ioven, Dawn; forman, debra; Quinn, Elizabeth; Johnson, Eric; Tuttle, Jeffrey; Hubbard, Jennifer; Rios-Jafolla, Nancy; Prince, Ruth  
**Subject:** RE: OSWER Human Health Regional Risk Assessors Forum (OHHRRAF), Topic for March Call?

Hi Rich – this was sent to us (Region 3) in regards to who to contact for information concerning the spill. Hope this helps!

Please refer all outside contacts for information regarding the spill to the following Region 3 employees, as indicated. We are doing our best to ensure that we are providing the most up to date, accurate information to all parties. Some of the requests that we have received do not have easy answers and require coordination among a number of offices. The people below will ensure that our responses are coordinated appropriately. Please let me know if you have questions. Thanks,  
Kathy

<b>Requestor</b>	<b>Region 3 Contact</b>	<b>Contact Phone Number:</b>
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Press	Bonnie Smith, Press Officer	215/814-5543
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**From:** Kapuscinski, Rich

**Sent:** Thursday, January 16, 2014 11:26 AM

**To:** Ioven, Dawn; forman, debra; Quinn, Elizabeth; Johnson, Eric; Tuttle, Jeffrey; Hubbard, Jennifer; Watson, Linda (R3); Rios-Jafolla, Nancy; Prince, Ruth

**Subject:** OSWER Human Health Regional Risk Assessors Forum (OHHRRAF), Topic for March Call?

Might you be able to help me identify who within EPA is responding to the spill near Charleston, WV?

Thanks for your time and consideration.

Rich Kapuscinski

**From:** Kapuscinski, Rich

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 14, 2014 4:29 PM

**To:** Griffin, Susan

**Cc:** OBrien, Wendy; Frederick, Tim

**Subject:** OSWER Human Health Regional Risk Assessors Forum (OHHRRAF), Topic for March Call

Good suggestion

**From:** Griffin, Susan

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 14, 2014 4:25 PM

**To:** Kapuscinski, Rich

**Subject:** RE: OSWER Human Health Regional Risk Assessors Forum (OHHRRAF), Bi-Monthly Call Reminder (Thursday, January 15)

Hi Rich,

Any chance you could line up a Region 3 person to talk about the MCHM spill in West Virginia in a future call?

Susan